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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Please do NOT take away access to critical unbundled network elements as has been recently petitioned for by AT&T and their trade association, US Telecom.

We are customers of Sonic internet and telephone service and could not be happier. We would never switch because this company excels in customer service. The other few services available to us offer consistently poor service; we hear nothing but complaints about them from those who use them.

Sonic would like to continue expanding the service it offers it customers, but in order to do so it must be free to access the unbundled network elements to remain competitive.

Please do not shut out the newer, smaller, innovative companies who add so richly to our internet access and use.

Thank you for taking this into consideration.

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